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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: MALAKA, Mark D.
Title: Riveting Tool and Method of Its Use

Enclosed are:

- A Specification including:
2 page Declaration
Pages 1 - 19 Disclosure
Pages 20 - 26 Claims (1 - 19)
Abstract
Seven (7)sheets of drawings (in triplicate)
Figures 1 to 8, 9a, 9b, 9c
- Executed Power of Attorney form
- A Declaration supporting a 50% fee reduction
(Independent Inventor - 1 page)
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- Information Disclosure Statement
- Form PTO/SB/08A
- Assignment from the inventor, Mark D. MALAKA to GBM Rivet & Fasteners Inc.

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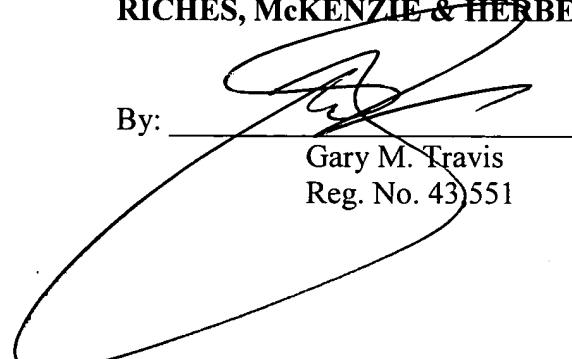
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<u>FEES:</u>	<u>Claims Filed</u>	<u>Extra Claims Rate</u>	<u>Basic Fee</u>
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Independent Claims:	3 - 3	=	\$.00
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